

## ONE WILL BE QUEEN OF THE 1970 CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION



SEEKING THE title of queen of the 1970 Cinco de Mayo celebration in Porterville, are, from left: Sylvia Alvarez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cirilo

Alvarez; Lupe A. Martinez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus H. Martinez; Ramona Euddilla Serna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Serna; Mary Yolanda

Gonzalez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armando Gonzalez; Juanita Savala, daughter of Mrs. Santos Guzman and Joe Savala; Maria Belen Camarena, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Lawrence Camarena; and Susana Franco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everado Franco, of Terra Bella. The Cinco de Mayo

celebration will feature a program in the Municipal ball park on Sunday, May 3. (Edwards Studio photos)

## HE WILL BE ON THE TRACK IN '72



THE LITTLE fellow - a bay colt foal - showed up at the Springville ranch this week, unnamed as yet and weighing in at 134 pounds. He is by Sallymount out of Please and, as a two-year-old, will be running in 1972. The Springville ranch, now a thoroughbred horse farm, is owned by Irving Allen, a film producer in both America and England; his representative at the ranch is John Turner. The great stud, Sallymount, is standing at the Springville ranch.

(Farm Tribune photos)

## QUICK DECLINE, OTHER SUBJECTS ARE ON CITRUS INSTITUTE AGENDA

VISALIA - The Central California Citrus Institute is scheduled for Friday, March 20 at 9:30 a.m. at the Sierra Vista School auditorium in Visalia, with Farm Advisor John Pehrson stating that this year's program will have a special emphasis on tristeza (or quick-decline), including discussions covering the problems of Troyer citrange rootstock with this disease.

Several locations in Southern California have been identified as having partial decline of the citrange rootstocks when infected by tristeza, Pehrson says. A review of rootstock behavior to this disease is also on the program. The mechanics involved with preventing outbreaks of tristeza in San

Joaquin valley citrus districts will also be explained.

Since use of growth regulators is becoming an important part of citrus production, recent field experiments with compounds such as the Gibberellins will be discussed, including problems with the timing of applications.

Citrus nutrition has become less and less an art and more and more a science with the advent of new techniques to determine what the trees need, says Pehrson. A topic reviewing fertilizer programs with special emphasis on nutrients other than nitrogen will be presented.

In the realm of economics, a serious look will be taken at the

## Springville's Western Parade Is Feature Of Rodeo Weekend

SPRINGVILLE - Twelve divisions will be included in the annual Springville-Sierra Rodeo parade that has been set for Saturday, April 18, according to Brent Gill, parade chairman.

Trophies will go for first three places, with some special awards. Divisions include: Bands, baton groups, baton solo, floats, silver mounted riders, mounted group large (five or more), mounted group small, (three or four), mounted pairs, individual riders, horseless carriages, decorated bicycles, and general category.

Individuals and organizations participating in the parade last year are being mailed entry blanks for the 1970 parade: others who plan to enter should request entry forms from Gill, 33981 Globe Drive, Porterville 93257, or telephone 539-2495.

Gill says that entry deadline is April 10; that the parade will move through Springville at 10:00 a.m., April 18; and that all entries must be in place by 9:30 a.m. on parade morning.

All parade participants will receive a gate pass for the Saturday afternoon performance of the RCA-approved, world championship, Springville-Sierra rodeo. The rodeo is also slated for Sunday afternoon, April 19.

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## PEARLE ZALUD PROPERTY TO FAIR, CITY

PORTERVILLE - The Porterville Fair and the City of Porterville were named as substantial benefactors in the will of the late Pearle P. Zalud, made public yesterday.

Miss Zalud left right, title and interest to 160 acres of land in southern Tulare county to the Tulare County Junior Livestock Show and Community fair, commonly called the Porterville fair, a non-profit corporation. In her will she requested that income from the property be used to provide cash prizes to encourage Future Farmer and 4-H club member participation in the fair.

The Zalud home at Hockett and Morton, including three lots and contents of the home, were left to the City of Porterville with the stipulation that the property be used as an art center for the exhibition of objects of art.

The will provided that the city must, within one year, take

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## City Accepts Zalud Home And Vacant Land

PORTERVILLE - A resolution "accepting with gratitude" the property bequeathed to the City of Porterville by the late Pearle P. Zalud, was passed unanimously at an adjourned meeting of the Porterville city council held at 8:15 a.m. yesterday morning in the city hall.

The council also, by motion, authorized city staff members to take whatever measures are necessary to safeguard the Zalud property, in cooperation with executors of the state - Pauline Sinarle, Albert Konda and Albert A. Roe.

Involved is the Zalud home at Hockett and Morton which, under terms of the will, is to be maintained as an art center in memory of Miss Zalud's parents, John and Mary Zalud.

Also bequeathed to the city was 15 acres of vacant land on Grand avenue, just north of the Southern California Edison company plant, with the will stipulating that this property be developed as a rose garden and children's park in memory of Miss Zalud's brother, Edward George Zalud.

In accepting the property, city councilmen went on record expressing their intent to comply with provisions of the

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## ROUTE ADOPTION FOR SECTION OF FREEWAY 65 WILL BE ASKED AT HIWAY COMMISSION HEARING

PORTERVILLE - A presentation before the California Highway commission asking for route adoption of a 29.8-mile section of Freeway 65 between White River and Freeway 99, north of Bakersfield, will be made in Sacramento on Wednesday, March 18.

Don Baxley, of Porterville, association secretary, says that representatives from cities and chambers of commerce composing the association plan to attend. Actual presentation before the Highway commission will be made by Bill Rodgers, also of Porterville, chairman of the Freeway 65 association.

The action is being asked in order to technically "pin down" the freeway route. Although the actual highway is on the ground and in use, and although 65 is designated as a future freeway by the State of California, that section between White River and Freeway 99 has not been officially adopted as a freeway route.

In the March 18 presentation to the Highway commission, it will be pointed out that "the area on both sides of Freeway 65 from White River south is rapidly being developed into large acreages of citrus, deciduous fruits and nuts. This agricultural expansion is underway now; large-scale commercial enterprises can be expected in the future as Mineral King is developed and as travel continues to increase between southern California and the National parks and National forest recreation areas in Kern, Tulare and Fresno counties."

Importance of the requested route adoption hinges on the fact that the California Highway department can negotiate for property adjacent to a freeway on which development is planned only if the freeway route has been adopted.

This means that along an adopted route the State of California can acquire property that will be needed for future freeway development prior to the time that proposed business development takes place.

It also means that an individual knows where he stands before he invests along a future Freeway route, thus eliminating the situation in which a business is "wiped out" by freeway development.

Both the state and private property owners will benefit financially, it will be pointed out, by adoption of the Freeway 65 route.

Formed last year, the Freeway 65 association has only one objective - the encouraging of continued development of Freeway 65.

The association is composed of representatives of four incorporated cities and seven chambers of commerce - those chambers in the incorporated cities, plus three others: Terra Bella, Springville and Strathmore.

Representatives on the Freeway 65 board are, in addition to Rodgers and Baxley: Kent Davis and Norlan B. Black, from Bakersfield; Aubrey M. Lumley Jr., Porterville; Estha Mae Hinton, Terra Bella; Walter M. Kimball and Frank Scrivner, Lindsay; Domer Power, Strathmore; Roy Hartley, Springville; and Allan Davis and John Kirkpatrick, Exeter.

Efforts to secure adoption of the Freeway 65 route between White River and Freeway 99 is the first step by the association in a

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## Governor Ronald Reagan Will Speak At Banquet In Tulare Saturday Night

TULARE - Tickets are selling briskly for the Spring Round-up with Governor Ronald Reagan, a fund raising event to be held Saturday evening, March 14, in the new Tulare County Fairgrounds Junior Exhibitors building in Tulare.

Bert H. Dennis of Dinuba, chairman of the Tulare County Committee to Re-Elect Governor Ronald Reagan, said that tickets are available in every community in the county at \$75 per couple. Proceeds from the dinner will go to the Reagan campaign.

Those with tickets include members of the Tulare County

Republican Central committee, members of the Spring round-up committee, and other working Republicans.

Also on sale are tickets to a cocktail party honoring the governor beginning at 6 p.m. the same evening. These tickets are \$35 per couple.

The dinner starts at 7 o'clock, and will be preceded, beginning at 6 o'clock, by a no-host social hour at the fairgrounds. Western dress for the event is optional.

Highlight of the evening will be an address by Governor Reagan, who will be introduced by State Senator Howard Way of Exeter. Other guests invited for

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## Editorial Comment



People of the Porterville community can enjoy a rather wide range of events and activities during the course of a year - events that extend through such off-beat enterprises as the Jackass Mail to programs of high cultural value.

In the latter category is the Porterville Community Concert association series, tickets for which are now being offered in the community. Only season tickets are sold; the Concert association campaign for the 1970-71 season closes at noon, Saturday; headquarters is Wayne's Music Mart.

Above photos show performers who will appear in Porterville during the coming concert season: The Valley Quartet, with Adele Luker, of Porterville, left, violinist; the Burch Mann "Ballet America" group; and contralto, Marvella Cariaga. Appearing also will be The Theater Men, a singing group from the Chicago Lyric Opera company and Chicago choruses.

Not only do tickets admit to concerts in Porterville, they also admit to any Community Concert Association production in neighboring cities.

Most certainly the Community Concert series commands support on the basis of merit. Although in the "cultural tradition," performances are not of the old-fashioned "long hair" type. Rather, they are performances by artists of ability and talent who, in these modern times, also have an appreciation of "show biz."

If you are not a patron of the Porterville Community Concert association, we suggest that you become one. We believe a most pleasant and surprising experience will come to you through your membership, and your attendance at concerts.

### FEDERAL LOANS TO AID PLANNING OF LOW-RENT UNITS

WASHINGTON D.C. - Congressman Bob Mathias has announced that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has approved two preliminary loans of \$4,000 each for the Housing Authority of Tulare county, the loans to be used to begin planning for the construction of 10 low-rent housing units in London and 10 low-rent units in Traver.

In January, a "Workable Program for Community Improvement" was certified for the Housing authority by the Department of Housing and Urban Development. The acceptance of this "Workable Program" was a prerequisite for these two loans and any other

federal aids requested from the department.

U.S. Department of Agriculture predicts there will be 2.9 million farms operating in the U.S. during 1970, down 2.6% from 1969 and down 27% from 1960.

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## ROUTE ADOPTION OF FREEWAY 65

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long-range plan that also includes continued work to assure construction of a new section of Freeway 65 between Lindsay and Freeway 198; and efforts to assure continued improvement of Freeway 65 as dictated by increasing use.

### Suit Filed In Connection With Milk Pooling

SACRAMENTO - An effort to prevent the transfer of production base by members of the Dairyman's Cooperative Creamery association of Tulare has been filed in Tulare County Superior court by Jerry W. Fielder, state director of agriculture.

A requested injunction would prevent transferring any or all of their production base until a declaration of rights and duties is made by the cooperative creamery association.

The suit involves the Gonzales' Milk Pooling Act, which went into effect June 1, 1969. The act sets up a plan for fluid milk pooling.

George Demedeiros, general manager of the co-op, said that Fielder is basically requesting a clarification from the court over the co-op's bylaws which hold that if a patron transfers his business, he is no longer a member and thus cannot transfer his quota.

Fielder had reportedly received a complaint from a former patron who had transferred his business.

About one-third of the dairymen in Tulare county belong to Dairyman's Cooperative Creamery association. Demedeiros said the suit would affect the individual farmer very little.

### RAVISCIONI FARMS HEIFER IS HIGH

VISALIA - Leading first-calf heifer in the Tulare County Dairy Herd Improvement association during the month of January was a grade Holstein in the L. Raviscioni Farms herd at Waukena, with a production record of 18,740 pounds of milk and 791 pounds of butterfat during a 305-day lactation period.

## CALIFORNIA SPEAKS

GLENN S. DUMKE, Chancellor, Calif. State Colleges - "Our society has allowed its freedoms to be misused by those who would destroy the freedoms."

MARION KAM YIN LEE, elected Miss Chinatown USA in S.F. ceremony - "Women should have equal rights in business, they should be aggressive in business, but they should never forget, once they get home, that they are women."

JANIE SMYTHE, San Jose student - "Kids smoke marijuana because the older generation outlaws it. Kids don't have the discipline and they have too much freedom."

DR. S. I. HAYAKAWA, Pres., SF State - "It is hard not to sympathize with the young people's craving for the responsibilities of maturity. But it is even harder to go along with their conviction that foreign policy is something that can be worked out on a guitar."

### WE THE PEOPLE

The comments in this column are not necessarily the views of the editors and publishers of The Farm Tribune.

To the Editor:

Saturday night, February 28th, at the Richgrove Memorial building I was complimented by many of my friends and supporters being present at a 'Pandol prepared' dinner to launch my campaign bid for the Tulare County Office of 5th District supervisor.

In my speech, I read an extensively reprinted excerpt from a file on Communist Rules for Revolution that was found by Americans after World War I in Dusseldorf, Germany, in May 1919. Since that evening several of those present have requested copies of this reprint, so with your help, others that might have been interested could be reached through this paper. It reads as follows:

"A. Corrupt the young; get them away from religion. Get them interested in sex; make them superficial, destroy their ruggedness.

B. Get control of all means of publicity and thereby:

1. Get people's minds off of their government by focusing their attention on athletics, sexy books and plays, and other trivialities.

2. Divide the people into hostile groups by constantly harping on controversial matters of less importance.

3. Destroy the people's faith in their natural leaders by holding them up to contempt, ridicule, and obloquy.

4. Always preach true democracy but seize power as fast and as ruthlessly as possible.

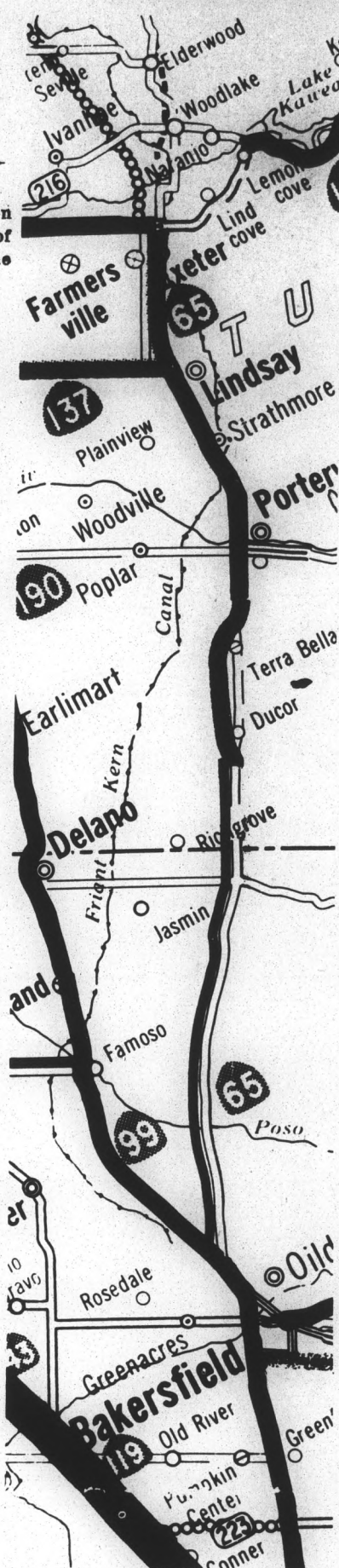
5. By encouraging government extravagance, destroy its credit, produce fear of inflation with rising prices and general discontent.

6. Foment unnecessary strikes in vital industries, encourage civil disorders, and foster a lenient and soft attitude on the part of government toward such disorders.

7. By specious argument, cause the breakdown of the old moral virtues; honesty, sobriety, continence, faith in the pledged word, ruggedness.

C. Cause the registration of all firearms on some pretext with the view of confiscation of them, and leaving the population helpless."

I used this to in some way question our happenings at Richgrove Elementary school, what is presently taking place at Woodlake, Santa Barbara, and all similar instances where outsiders have infected our neighbors very effectively with a 'propaganda flu' and have made them react in a most uncomplimentary manner to themselves and all those about them. Like all epidemics, I feel this one will pass, and we must call on the very strengths that are under attack so that our friends with the 'flu' will have our stability to



REQUEST FOR Freeway 65 route adoption that will be made next Wednesday in Sacramento involves the section between Freeway 99 just north of Oildale, and White River, just south of Ducor, indicated by a double line on the above map. For story on this item, see page 1.

rely on during the years of convalescence that must follow.

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EVELYN CARROLL, organist at the First Christian church of Porterville, is seated at the console of a \$55,000 pipe organ that has been donated to the church by J.B. Nethercutt, a Los Angeles business man, who also donated \$8,000 toward installation of the organ in the

church. At left is the Rev. Doyle Young, pastor of the church; at right is Leonard Miller, chairman of the church board. The organ is now in storage in Porterville and will be installed by Richard Villemain, of Porterville.

(Recorder photo)

## Alligator Weed Fight Expanded In California

SACRAMENTO — Alligatorweed, the number 1 weed pest of farms and waterways, is the target of stepped-up efforts by the California Department of Agriculture, with the department proposing to add Kings and Los Angeles counties to the alligatorweed eradication area now in effect in Tulare county.

Tulare county has been an eradication area since 1965 for the weed pest, which starts growing in irrigation canals and ditches, clogging them until water cannot flow. It then spreads out of the ditches into fields, where it attacks rice, cotton, alfalfa, grapes and other crops.

The presence of alligatorweed in Kings and Los Angeles counties presents an additional weed threat to the irrigated agriculture of the state," said James W. Koehler, chief of the Department's Weed and Vertebrate Pest Control program.

A native of South America, alligatorweed was first recorded in the United States around 1884. It did not become a real problem for many years, but

## Valley Nitrogen Pays Dividend To Grower-Owners

FRESNO — California's largest manufacturer and supplier of chemical fertilizers, Valley Nitrogen Producers, Inc., has declared patronage dividends amounting to more than \$1.3 million for its grower-shareholders from the past fiscal year's operations.

Announcement of the operating margin highlighted financial reports during the cooperative's 11th annual meeting at its Helm facility Friday.

Outgoing chairman of the board, Lester S. Heringer, Clarksburg farmer, stated the margin is exceptional in view of a production over supply in the industry, unstable market conditions, and a state-wide usage decrease attributed to a rainy siege early in the fiscal year 1968-69.

In addition to the operating margin, good news also announced by Heringer centered on VNP's fertilizer complex situated in the Imperial Valley.

"We finally managed to achieve some production at the complex although at reduced capacities. In 1970, we hope to bring the facility to or near promised capacity," he said.

now is one of the worst weeds of the southeastern states.

## Census Taker Jobs Open In Tulare County

VISALIA — Gil Swift, district manager of the 1970 Census of Population and Housing which starts April 1, this week issued an appeal to residents of the area to apply for jobs as census takers.

Applicants must be 18 years old or over and citizens of the United States. They will be required to pass a selection test demonstrating their ability to understand printed instructions and do simple arithmetic. Many will need a car in their work, and if so, mileage will be paid.

Census takers will be paid on a piece rate basis designed to average \$2.00 per hour, although hourly earnings will vary depending on the diligence of individuals, according to the district manager, who pointed out that some will earn well above average, while others who work less effectively will earn less.

Weekly earnings for a full 40-hour week might range from \$60 to more than \$100, he said. The average assignment for a census taker will last from three to five weeks beginning March 30.

The Census Bureau is an equal opportunity employer.

Candidates for jobs as census takers may see any of the census representatives at: 3901 South Mooney Blvd., Visalia, California; telephone 734-2021.

Kern river, and tributaries, above Democrat Hot Springs, except Lake Isabella, are closed to fishing until the general trout season opens May 2.



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By John

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STARS OF "Absence of a Cello" that will open tomorrow night, Friday, at the Porterville Barn theater, are Eldon Hunt and Kit Tewksbury, who will be joined by another trouper of note, Elizabeth Dobson, of Exeter. Others in the cast are: John Liston, Stephen Brown,

Charlene Scow, and Mayte Eriksson; director is Sali Evans. An exceptional stage set has been constructed by Patrick Spencer, assisted by Dr. Oliver Scow. The play will run through Friday and Saturday nights on the next three weekends.

(Terry Bergfalk photo)

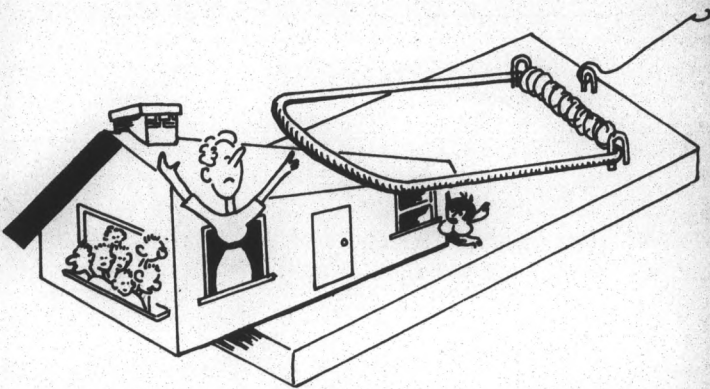
## COLLEGE PERSONNEL ATTEND CONFERENCE

PORTERVILLE — Lee Clearman, dean of instruction, Tom Baker, chairman of technical and vocational division, and Bill Davies, professor at Porterville college, were among more than 400 industrial education administrators and supervisors throughout the state attending

the 32nd Annual Conference on Industrial Education, last week in San Diego. New approaches to industrial education management, new problems, new programs, and labor market trends were brought into focus during the three-day event.

Game law violators chipped in \$477,026 in fines toward California fish and game wildlife conservation programs during 1969.

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FOR BETTER or worse, the official mail box for the Jackass Mail has been set up at the Porterville chamber of commerce office, with a group of saddle bums directing the operation, from left: Bill Rodgers, John Fischer, Postmaster Don Baxley, Abe Estrada, Hoss Hammond and

Doc Small himself. Stamps are on sale at the chamber office, in certain establishments here and there about the community, and at business emporiums in Springville. The ninth annual Jackass Mail run from Porterville to Springville will hit the trail at 8:00 a.m. or thereabouts come April 11. (Farm Tribune photo)

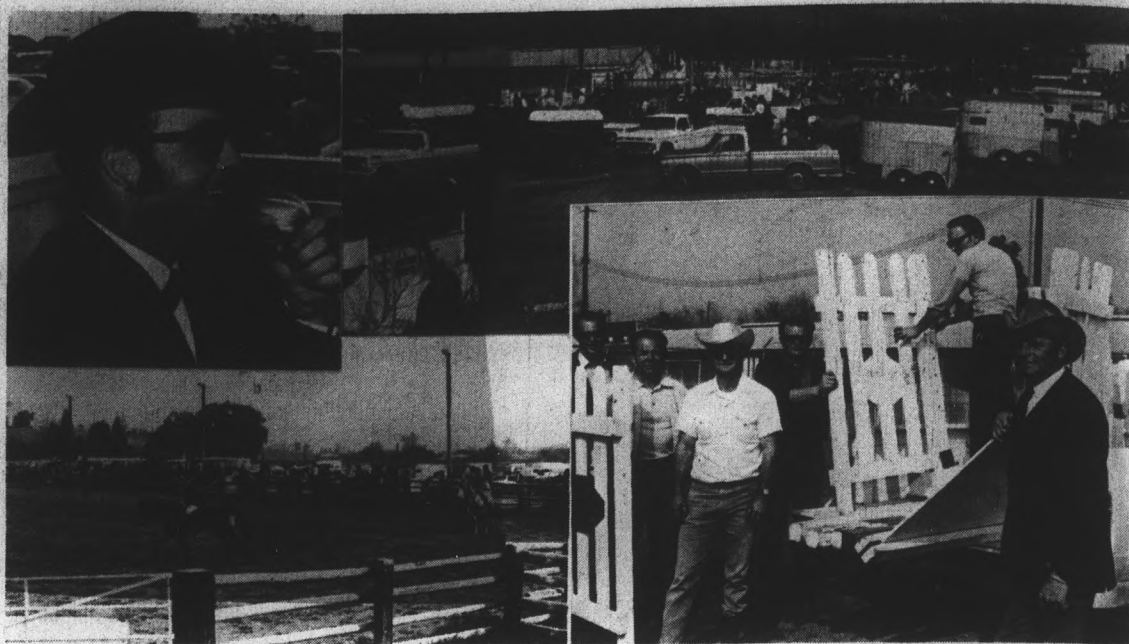
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the evening include Congressman Bob Mathias, State Assemblymen Gordon Duffy and Bill Ketchum, Allen Grant, president of the California Farm Bureau Federation, and chairman of the state Board of Agriculture; Ralph Rosedale, chairman of the Tulare County

Republican Central committee; Ernest Mobley, assemblyman from Fresno county; Bill Park, candidate for the State Senate from Bakersfield; and Norman Livermore Jr., secretary of the state resources agency.

Also on hand as special guests will be Christine Vincent of



IT WAS a great day and a full house at the Porterville Fair Horse Show arena Sunday, as some 129 boys and girls from throughout the southern San Joaquin valley competed in 30 classes, with top point winners including: Debbie Lykins, 13

years and under; Becky Fargo, 14-17 years; and Darnell Grant, highpoint Canterbelle. Photos give an idea of the crowd; at lower right are members of the ring crew, from left: Clayton Owen, Gaylan Barrett, Richard

Grant, show manager Jack Beck; Doug Nichols, and the show judge, Clyde Kennedy, of Fillmore. At upper left is "the voice of the show," Brent Gill, of Springville.

(Farm Tribune photos)

## Rocky Hill Racing Assn. To Open Season On April 5

PORTERVILLE — Action will get underway at the Rocky Hill Speedway the afternoon of April 5 with stock car events to continue through the season until November 11.

Racing programs are slated for each Sunday afternoon during Spring, then, as the weather warms up, night racing will be started. Cars are expected to be brought in from throughout the southern San Joaquin valley; attendance last year ran as high as 2,000 persons for a single event.

Starting in 1968 with 25 members, the Rocky Hill Racing association, organization

sponsoring the stock car events, now has more than 300 members, with its most famous alumni and honorary member being Dick Brooks, 1969 NASCAR rookie of the year in national stock car competition.

President of the association is Bob Poteet; vice president is Norman Scruggs; secretary is Ed Yost; and treasurer is Ken Laney.

## EASTER EGG HUNT PLANNED BY VFW POST

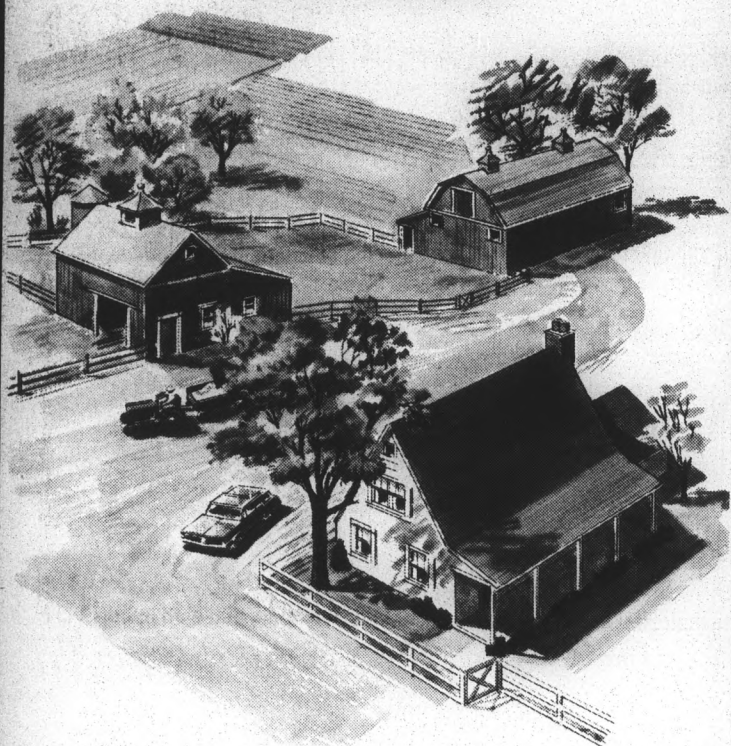
PORTERVILLE — Annual Easter Egg hunt, sponsored by Mt. Whitney Post 2001, Veterans of Foreign Wars, is again being planned this year, with the event set for Easter Sunday, 1:00 p.m., in Murry park.

Prizes will be awarded to youngsters who find "lucky eggs," also to winners in a talent contest planned during the afternoon. Three age groups will be selected on the grounds for the Easter egg hunt, with boys and girls between two and 12 years of age eligible.

Porterville merchants are making a number of prizes available; members of the VFW Auxiliary are coloring the eggs.

Sport fishing season for lobster will end March 18.

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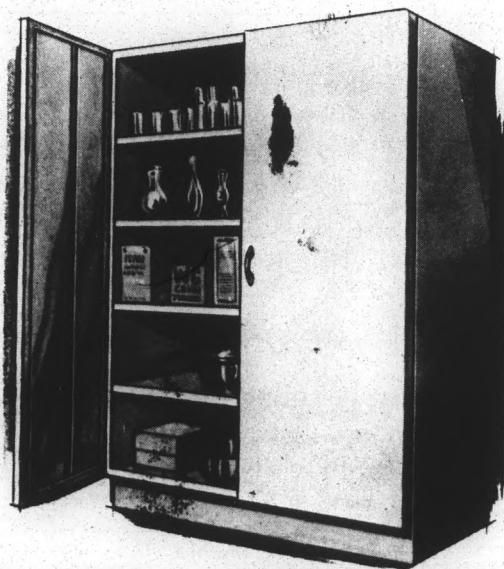
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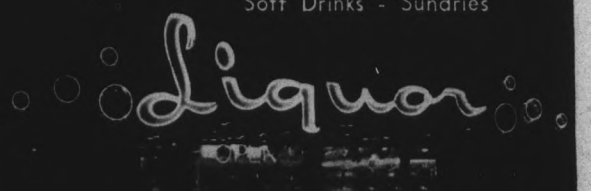
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**BOB WILEY**, sheriff of Tulare county, trades money for tickets, said tickets being sold by Kathy Wardlaw, a candidate for queen of the 1970 Springville-Sierra rodeo that is slated for April 18 and 19. Wiley, who is completing his first four-year term as sheriff and who is a candidate for

reelection, will no doubt see Kathy again at Springville since he plans to enter the calf roping event in the RCA-approved, professional rodeo. Wiley is a former nationally-ranked RCA calf roper and was a football star at Porterville college.

(Farm Tribune photo)

## DEMONSTRATION DAY SET FOR COUNTY 4-H MEMBERS

**VISALIA** — 4-H demonstration day for Tulare county, to be held March 14, 9:00 a.m., at Exeter High school in Exeter, will feature approximately 100 demonstrations in the project areas of home economics, agricultural sciences, and activities in 4-H Club work.

Boys and girls will be displaying their knowledge about a multitude of topics such as appropriate trims for garments, planning a hamburger cook-out, explaining the inner workings of a car battery, telling how to prune fruitwood, and teaching citizenship by explaining the meaning of the American flag and salute.

Judges for the county event will come from experienced 4-H Club leader ranks and alumni, professionally trained people employed in Tulare county, and business and industry representatives. Carl Whitendale, East Lynne 4-H club, will be

chairman of the county demonstration event and will be assisted by the 1969-70 Tulare County All-Stars: Patrick Bennett, Vandalia; Philip Mayberry and Charles Stearns, Lindsay; Gary Todd, Ducor; Kathy Briano, Rockford; Joanne Pelous, Lindsay; Linda Vieira, Oak Grove; Janice Scranton, Vandalia.

The Tulare County Hi-4-H club will have a food concession throughout the morning. A judges' luncheon will be hosted by the foods and nutrition subcommittee of the Home Economics Advisory council. Following the luncheon an awards assembly will be presented. Top three demonstrations in each category may be designated as winners; winners from the county talent night have been invited to perform; all interested persons are invited to attend the demonstration day.

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20840

Estate of  
**ELLSWORTH E. ESSLINGER**, also known as **E.E. ESSLINGER**, Deceased.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated March 9, 1970.

**RUSSELL D. ESSLINGER**  
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Attorneys for Executor

First publication: March 12, 1970  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20776

Estate of  
**CORINE B. FALER**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 12, 1970

**WRIGHT FALER**  
Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20825

Estate of  
**ELIZABETH E. TUSCHER**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 27, 1970.

**BERNICE F. THOMPSON**  
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Attorneys for Executrix

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Vandalia Irrigation District Balance Sheet December 31, 1969	
Assets	
Utility Plant less Depreciation	\$227,992
Cash, Bonds, Treasury bills, note and taxes receivable	58,832
Property, including ditch stock	100,376
Total	\$387,200
Liabilities and Other Credits	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expense	7,962
Long term Debt and Deferred Credits	58,073
Fund balances (Utility Plant, Other Assets and Unappropriated)	321,165
Total	\$387,200
Income and Expense	
Operating Income	
Water Sales	17,389
Other	1,465
Non-Operating Income	
Interest, taxes, penalties and costs	4,193
Other	1,813
Total	\$ 24,860
Operating Expense	
Water purchases, power, transmission and distribution	29,222
Administration, General and Depreciation	14,468
Non-Operating Expense	
Legal Advertising	87
Total	\$ 43,777
Expense in excess of 1969 Income	\$ 18,917

**CERTIFICATION**  
I certify that the above Financial Statement for the Vandalia Irrigation District is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Marjorie M. Meier, Secretary  
Vandalia Irrigation District  
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### POTATO GROWERS PLAN CONVENTION

**BAKERSFIELD** — Potato Growers Association of California will hold its 1970 convention, trade show and business meeting in Bakersfield, April 5, 6, and 7. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mettler are general chairmen; headquarters will be in the Casa Royale Motor Inn.

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20629

Estate of  
**MARTHA M. SMITH**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 10, 1970.

**HAZEL WANETA KENOYER**  
**THOMAS WILLIAM SMITH**  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20640

Estate of  
**HOMER FRAZIER NICHOLS**, also known as **Homer F. Nichols**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 12, 1970.

**ETHEL L. NICHOLS**  
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Attorneys for Administratrix

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20786

Estate of  
**RUBY ETHEL JOHNSON**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 12, 1970.

**HAZEL G. EKKMAN**  
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Attorneys for Executrix

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**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION SHERIFF'S SALE**  
No. 70-222  
Cavale Collection Service, Plaintiff  
vs.  
Recil H. Hise, Defendant  
Under and by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Visalia Municipal Court of the County of Tulare State of California, wherein Cavale Collection Service, Plaintiff and Recil H. Hise, Defendant upon a judgment rendered the 18th day of August A.D. 1969 for the sum of two thousand three hundred fifteen and 50/100 Dollars (\$2,315.50) lawful money of the United States, besides costs and interest, I did on the 16th day of February 1970, levy upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said Defendant, Recil H. Hise of, in and to the following Real Estate situated in the County of Tulare, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

APN 264-060-16  
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Public Notice is Hereby Given, that I will on Thursday the 2nd day of April A.D. 1970, at ten o'clock A.M. of said day, in front of the Tulare County Sheriff's Office in the City of Visalia, in said County of Tulare, sell at public auction, for lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of said Defendant, Recil H. Hise of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder. Dated this 3rd day of March 1970  
**BOB WILEY**, Sheriff of Tulare County, State of California  
By Sgt. J. E. Thatcher  
Deputy Sheriff  
a12,19,26

### HORSE SHOW

**AT BAKERSFIELD**  
**BAKERSFIELD** — Open horse show will be staged by the PDM training stables, on Muller road between Fairfax and Weedpatch highway, in Bakersfield, on Saturday, March 28. The 26-event show will get underway at 8:30 a.m.

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20630

Estate of  
**JOHN A. LESLIE**, also known as **John Augustus Leslie**, J.A. Leslie, and **Gus Leslie**, Deceased.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 23, 1970.

**CHAS. ALLAN LESLIE**  
**RAYMOND T. LESLIE**  
Co-Executors of the Will of the above named decedent  
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Attorneys for Executors

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20788

Estate of  
**IRENE ZACK**, also known as **IRENE V. ZACK**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 18, 1970

**MARY ZACK BROWN**  
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Attorneys for Executrix

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR  
THE COUNTY OF TULARE  
No. 20795

Estate of  
**PAUL A. WALKER**, aka **PAUL ALEXANDER WALKER**, Deceased.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 24, 1970

**JOHN V. WALKER**  
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Attorneys for Executor

First publication: February 26, 1970  
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Tea Pot Dome Water District Balance Sheet December 31, 1969	
Assets	
Utility Plant less Depreciation	\$1,391,422
Cash, Deposits, Receivables, Prepayments	53,328
Water in Storage	6,493
Property	14,186
Total	\$1,465,429
Liabilities and Other Credits	
Accounts Payable, Accrued Expense and Matured Long-Term Debt	45,138
Long term Debt	1,393,791
Customer Deposits and Prepayments	24,336
Fund balances (Utility Plant, Other Assets and Unappropriated)	2,164
Total	\$1,465,429
Income and Expenses	
Operating Income	
Water Sales	\$ 51,229
Other	1,297
Non-Operating Income	
Interest, taxes, penalties and costs	41,399
Other	3,260
Total	\$ 97,185
Operating Expense	
Water purchases, Power, Transmission and Distribution	\$ 52,184
Administration, General and Depreciation	41,342
Non-Operating Expense	
Legal Publishing	70
Other	1,105
Total	\$ 94,701
1969 Income in excess of Expense	\$ 2,484

**CERTIFICATION**  
I certify that the above Financial Statement for the Tea Pot Dome Water District is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Marjorie M. Meier, Secretary  
Tea Pot Dome Water District  
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### STUDENTS NAMED TO HONOR ROLLS

**PORTERVILLE** — One hundred thirteen students have been named to honor lists at Porterville college for the fall Semester, according to Paul Kercher, college vice president.

### The Farm Tribune

## BILLBOARD

#### MARCH

13-14—"Absence of a Cello," Barn Theater  
14-Dinner Honoring Gov. Reagan, Tulare  
16-Public Forum, "Railroads Of The West"  
20-21—"Absence of a Cello," Barn Theater  
27-28—"Absence of a Cello," Barn Theater

#### APRIL

4-Springville Rodeo Queen Horsemanship Contest  
5-Springville Rodeo Queen Contestants Dinner  
7-Public Forum, "The Trail Of Cortez"  
11-Jackass Mail Run  
12-18-Western Week  
17-Terra Bella PTA Talent Show  
18-19-Springville Sierra Rodeo  
18-25-Orange Blossom Festival, Lindsay  
25-26-Art Show, Springville  
30-Turneau Opera Players, Community Concert

#### MAY

3-Cinco de Mayo  
21-22-23-Porterville Fair

### Chamber Presidents Dinner Guests

**VISALIA** — Presidents of chambers of commerce in Tulare county will be honored at a dinner meeting, March 17, sponsored jointly by the Southern California Gas company and the Tulare County chamber of commerce, to be held in the auditorium of the Southern California Gas company office in Visalia.

Maynard Faught, president of the county chamber, Harvey

Krammes, gas company district manager and Bill Schenck, local manager, will be co-hosts; Faught will act as master of ceremonies.

Goals of mutual interest to all chambers of commerce in the county, and methods of attaining them, will be discussed during the evening. A reception, at 6:30 p.m., will precede the dinner.





**"BIG DADDY"** Unruh, candidate for governor of the State of California, is shown above speaking at a meeting of the journalism fraternity, Sigma Delta Chi, San Joaquin Valley chapter, at a meeting last Thursday at the Villa Basque, in Fresno. On far left is Bob Long, KMJ TV newsman and outgoing president of the fraternity; at right is Dayle Molen, Fresno State college department of journalism, incoming president; in front of Long, at left is Roy Isom, now of Radio KYNO in Fresno, who back in 1961, was "Big Red" of the Dixieland combo that travelled with the

Porterville Centennial show. Unruh, whose real name is Jess, said that he can no longer accept the "Big Daddy" tab - and he does look slim and trim, discussed issues of the gubernatorial campaign in California. He said that if he doesn't make it this time, he'll be back in 1974.

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#### FARM BUREAU BOARD MEETING

VISALIA - Directors of the Tulare County Farm Bureau will meet tonight, March 12, at the Assembly hall in Visalia. Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m.

The Tulare County Farm Advisors' office is planning to present a citrus irrigation short course in April.

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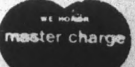
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## MORE CALIFORNIA ORANGES INTO PRODUCTS AS PRODUCTION INCREASES

VISALIA — Drastic changes are in store for the California citrus industry as rising production world-wide brings an increasing emphasis to the products end of the business, according to a panel of authorities speaking at a Citrus Men's Club meeting in Visalia.

To profit from the trend, orange growers were advised to give as much attention to the products outlet in producing future crops as they do to the fresh market.

"The secret is maturity," according to J.W. Neu, director of the orange products division of Sunkist Growers, Inc. "We have learned that the central California orange is just as acceptable for products use as the southern California fruit if it has the proper maturity. The Navel orange, too, increases in products value with maturity."

Neu explained that future payments to growers from the orange products plant at Ontario will be based on more exacting standards of quality.

Robert C. McCracken, president of TreeSweet Products Co. of Santa Ana, with major operations also in Florida, said inroads of synthetics will hinge largely on whether or not the citrus industry turns out products that are consistent in quality.

Last year 88 per cent of Florida oranges were made into products, 65 per cent in frozen concentrate. While retail sales of this major product are holding steady, Florida growers face a 40 per cent increase in production of fruit by 1975.

To counter the threatening surplus, the industry is now attempting to organize a stabilization program aimed at

leveling off available supplies. Florida growers also assess themselves \$21,000,000 for advertising and promotion in a program administered by the Florida Citrus commission.

McCracken said Florida growers probably keep themselves the best informed of any commodity group through their Florida Citrus Mutual, with 15,000 members. The main activity of this group is to provide a constant flow of up-to-the-minute market information.

Neu said as crops get larger the trend to products in California will be more pronounced than elsewhere. Traditionally, a greater percentage of California's oranges have been sold in fresh form.

While Neu does expect a continuing rise in sales of fresh Navels, market expansion will not keep pace with production and more Navels will go into products, too. Neu explained that Navels are not so readily converted into juice as Valencias because a bitterness factor is accentuated during the heating process. As a result, the future for the Navel lies in blending with other varieties, including those from Florida.

Neu said rising production of California and Arizona oranges resulted in a three-fold boost in volume at the Ontario plant in 1969, with a total of 680,000 tons converted into products. By this Summer with its expansion program complete the plant will be able to handle up to 800,000 tons per year, sufficient capacity for the greater deliveries anticipated.

Neu explained California products and those from other

states are not competitive in a head-to-head sense. California fruit has qualities making it desirable for many industrial uses, and Sunkist researchers have developed more than 400 such items. Florida fruit, on the other hand, is used almost entirely for such retail uses as frozen concentrate, and chilled and canned juice.

Representing Arizona on the panel, O.C. Pailthorp, general manager of Grower Citrus Products at Yuma, said there is a trend away from the use of synthetic materials as food additives, and this could help future sales of citrus products in these outlets.

Neu said Sunkist had investigated the San Joaquin valley as a location for a new products plant, but economics were against the move. Also, he said, potentially the San Joaquin valley has a greater problem of environmental pollution both of underground water and air than does southern California, making waste disposal difficult for a food processing operation.

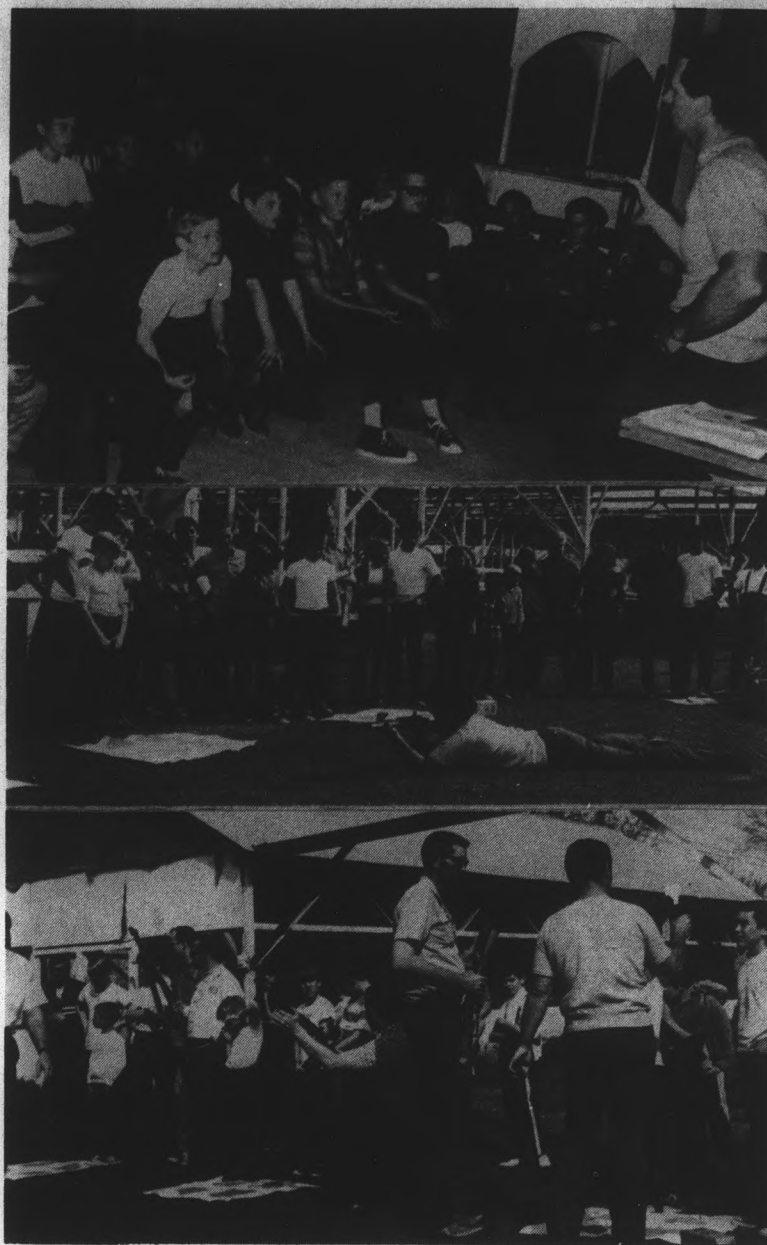
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impact of Westside developments in the valley as they influence the agriculture of the Eastside.

The all-day meeting is open to growers and any persons interested in citrus production in the San Joaquin valley. The Sierra Vista School auditorium, is located at Mineral King and Dollner in Visalia.

A Florida dairyman is hiring all women to do the milking in his 6,000 cow operation.



NEARLY 50 youngsters registered Saturday afternoon at the Porterville Fair grounds for first session of a shooter education program, sponsored by Porterville Jaycees, with Bill Horst shown giving "classroom instruction" in top photo and demonstrating the prone position in center photo. Jaycee

President Jack Shannon, and other Jaycee members, joined in as actual firing was started. The instruction is given with BB guns, specially made for marksmanship; the course will continue at the fair grounds for the next three Saturday afternoons.

(Farm Tribune photos)

### PEARLE ZALUD

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steps to comply with use of the property, or it will go to Future Farmer and 4-H clubs for benefit of participants in the fair.

A 15-acre parcel of undeveloped property on Grand avenue just north of the Southern California Edison company plant, was also willed to the City of Porterville, with the stipulation that it be developed into a rose garden and a children's park.

An additional 340 acres of land in Tulare and Kern counties, now leased by Henry and Helen Bowen, was willed to Future Farmers and 4-H clubs, equally.

Several paragraphs in the will relate to property and money bequeathed to the Fresno-Monterey Diocese of the Roman Catholic church and to

individuals. Residue of the remainder of the estate is to go to the City of Porterville for use in connection with the art center in the Zalud home.

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will. Concerning the 15-acre parcel, it was stated that before final plans are made, a study should be completed by the city planning commission.

Attending the morning council meeting were Mayor Richard Spencer, and Councilmen Jim Hanson, Larry Cotta, Aubrey M. Lumley and Gilbert Ynigues.

While U.S. gross farm income was up in 1969, the net income was down slightly, due to farm wage increases, inflation, and rising production costs.

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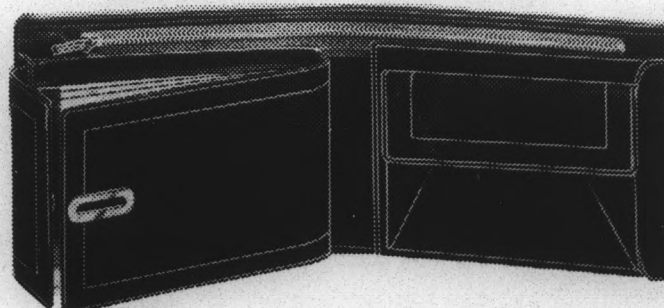


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